

## **V. CONCLUSION**

In view of the above, Applicants maintain that all points raised by the Examiner relating to claims 2, 12, 14, and 28 - 56 have been answered.

Applicants cancel claims 2, 12, 14, 28 - 30, 32, 33, 36, 42, 43, and 45 - 56 without prejudice for reasons of expediency and not for reasons of patentability; which

Applicants may intend to resubmit in a continuation application to be filed during the pendency of the current application or, in a series of co-pending applications, during the pendency of at least one application that claims this application as its parent application or that claims the same parent application that is claimable by this application.

Applicants amend claim 31 without prejudice for reasons of expediency and not for reasons of patentability; and Applicants may intend to resubmit the word

"neurobehavioral" in at least one claim in a continuation application to be filed during the pendency of the current application or, in a series of co-pending applications, during the pendency of at least one application that claims this application as its parent application or that claims the same parent application that is claimable by this application. Claim 57 has not been entered.

Claims 31, 34, 35, 37 - 41 and 44 now presented are in condition for allowance.

Reconsideration and favorable action are earnestly solicited. Applicants respectfully request that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

If the Examiner has any questions, the Examiner is encouraged to contact Applicants' attorney via telephone.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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